

TOWN OF WILTON

SELECTMEN'S MINUTES

Date: June 2, 2014
Time: 6:00 P.M.
Place: Russell Street, Wilton NH

Present: Chairman William F. Condra and Selectmen Richard E. Swanson, Kermit R. Williams, and Recording Secretary Pamela Atwood.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M. by Chairman Condra on Russell Street in Wilton. Additional people in attendance: Steve Elliott, Brent Hautanen, and Jerry Greene. The purpose of the on-site meeting was to determine whether any changes in the width of the road should be made when it gets re-paved.

Steve explained the markings he had made on the properties along the street, and he had the plan to refer to. He stated that the following options were available: Leave the road as it is; make it one-way; disallow parking on both sides; take the full right-of-way; or take a partial right-of-way. Discussion followed.

At 6:15 P.M. Chairman Condra suggested the meeting be adjourned to the Selectmen's Office so discussion could continue.

Resident Jerry Greene said that he would hate to see the Town take away any of the small yard these properties have. Selectman Swanson suggested compromising by just widening the bottom section to give it 22 feet, which might have a foot of impact, so it would have 22 feet all the way up the street. Chief Hautanen stated that he is not in favor of making it one-way going up, and he hates to take away parking from these properties. Selectman Williams would like to minimize the impact on the residents and he likes the idea of fixing up the curbing if

we disturb it. The Selectmen also want to schedule a Public Hearing so the owners and residents can be heard.

Chairman Condra asked that Public Works Director Steve Elliott prepare a list of the options available giving details as to what each option entails. The Board will hold a Public Hearing on June 23rd and send notices to the property owners and hang notices on the houses for the renters.

Steve stated that his preference is a 22 foot travel lane, taking 4 feet out of the narrowest spot. This would be his maximum recommendation. His minimum recommendation would be 20 foot travel lane. He would like to see the grade before determining whether to put curbing back. He stated that the Town needs proper access and should be looking to future; now is the time to widen it.

Chairman Condra would like the residents and owners to have some input. The Public Hearing will be on June 23rd at 6:45 P.M. No decision was made tonight.

One (1) Accounts Payable Manifest was approved.
Payroll for period ending 5-31-14 was signed.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 6:48 P.M. by Selectman Williams, seconded by Selectman Swanson, followed by a vote with all in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Pamela L. Atwood, Recording Secretary